## **News from U.S. Rep. John Spratt (D-SC)**

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## **Spratt Announces Grant for Grassy Pond VFD**

WASHINGTON – U.S. Rep. John Spratt (D-SC) announced today that Grassy Pond Volunteer Fire Department, of Gaffney, has been awarded a grant from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security.

Spratt said the \$93,150 grant will be used for fire operations and firefighter safety, which includes training, wellness and fitness, firefighting equipment, personal protective equipment, and modifications to fire stations and facilities.

"Fire safety grants are a big help to the men and women who help protect our neighborhoods and communities," said Spratt. "I am delighted Grassy Pond is getting the money."